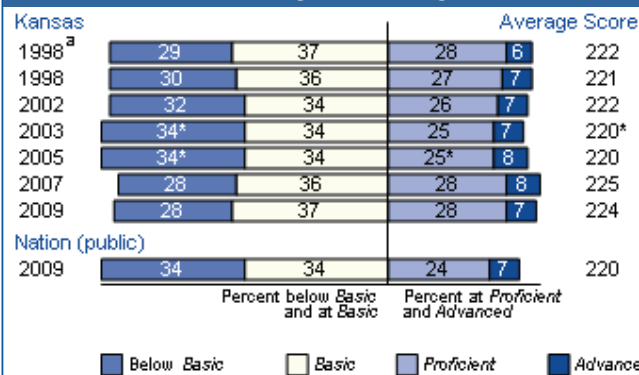


Overall Results

- In 2009, the average score of fourth-grade students in Kansas was 224. This was higher than the average score of 220 for public school students in the nation.
- The average score for students in Kansas in 2009 (224) was not significantly different from their average score in 2007 (225) and was not significantly different from their average score in 1998 (221).
- In 2009, the score gap between students in Kansas at the 75th percentile and students at the 25th percentile was 42 points. This performance gap was not significantly different from that of 1998 (43 points).
- The percentage of students in Kansas who performed at or above the NAEP *Proficient* level was 35 percent in 2009. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2007 (36 percent) and was not significantly different from that in 1998 (34 percent).
- The percentage of students in Kansas who performed at or above the NAEP *Basic* level was 72 percent in 2009. This percentage was not significantly different from that in 2007 (72 percent) and was not significantly different from that in 1998 (70 percent).

Achievement Level Percentages and Average Score Results



* Significantly different ($p < .05$) from state's results in 2009.
^a Accommodations not permitted.

NOTE: Detail may not sum to totals because of rounding.

Compare the Average Score in 2009 to Other States/Jurisdictions

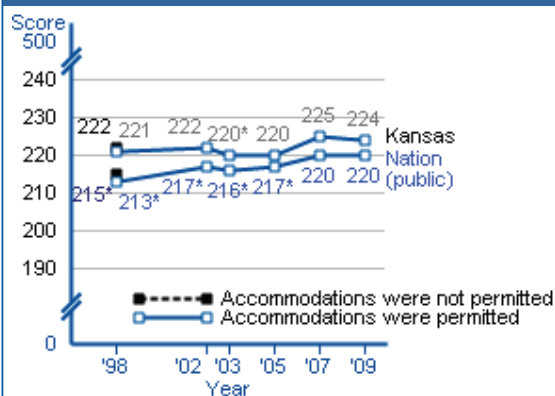


¹ Department of Defense Education Activity schools (domestic and overseas).

In 2009, the average score in **Kansas** was

- lower than those in 6 states/jurisdictions
- higher than those in 23 states/jurisdictions
- not significantly different from those in 22 states/jurisdictions

Average Scores for State/Jurisdiction and Nation (public)



* Significantly different ($p < .05$) from 2009.

Results for Student Groups in 2009

Reporting Groups	Percent of students	Avg. score	Percentages at or above		Percent at Advanced
			Basic	Proficient	
Gender					
Male	52	222	71	34	6
Female	48	226	74	37	8
Race/Ethnicity					
White	70	229	78	40	8
Black	10	210	56	20	2
Hispanic	14	210	55	20	2
Asian/Pacific Islander	2	234	79	50	13
American Indian/Alaska Native	1	‡	‡	‡	‡
National School Lunch Program					
Eligible	48	213	60	22	3
Not eligible	52	234	84	47	11

‡ Reporting standards not met.

NOTE: Detail may not sum to totals because of rounding, and because the "Information not available" category for the National School Lunch Program, which provides free/reduced-price lunches, and the "Unclassified" category for race/ethnicity are not displayed.

Score Gaps for Student Groups

- In 2009, female students in Kansas had an average score that was not significantly different from that of male students.
- In 2009, Black students had an average score that was 19 points lower than that of White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 1998 (30 points).
- In 2009, Hispanic students had an average score that was 19 points lower than that of White students. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 1998 (25 points).
- In 2009, students who were eligible for free/reduced-price school lunch, an indicator of low income, had an average score that was 22 points lower than that of students who were not eligible for free/reduced-price school lunch. This performance gap was not significantly different from that in 1998 (23 points).

NOTE: Statistical comparisons are calculated on the basis of unrounded scale scores or percentages.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, Institute of Education Sciences, National Center for Education Statistics, National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP), various years, 1998–2009 Reading Assessments.